GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LABOUR
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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1314
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REDUCTION IN BURDEN OF NEWSPAPER ESTABLISHMENT
M. JAGANNATH

Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Indian Newspaper Society is demanding that the Wage Board should be doneaway with to reduce burden on newspaper establishments; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI MUNI LALL)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b): Since the recommendations of the Manisana Wage Boards have been accepted recently these would remain in force until the Award of next Wage Board. The constitution of the next Wage Board is, therefore, not a point for action for the present.